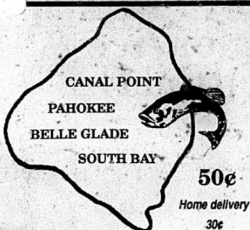


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News Briefs

Registration opens for Mr. and Miss Black Gold
Registration has started for this year's Tiny and Little Mr. and Miss Black Gold. Tiny Division is open to boys and girls ages 3 and 4, and the Little Division is open to boys and girls ages 5 and 6.

The pageant will be on Thursday, March 30, at the Dolly Hand Cultural Arts Center at 7 p.m. and is being sponsored by the Xi Zeta Mu chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi sorority.

Applications are available at the Belle Glade Chamber of Commerce and Cochran's BP Station. The application fee is \$20. Registration forms are due back in to the chamber by Monday, March 27. For more information, call 996-2745.

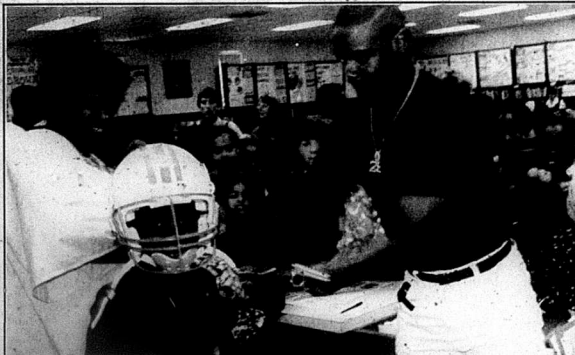
Spring Concert
Glades Day School's Spring Concert, featuring the Junior Glee Club and the Gator Glee Club, will be held on Tuesday, March 14, and Wednesday, March 15, at 7:30 p.m., at the Dolly Hand Cultural Arts Center. Tickets are \$1 and are available to the public, beginning March 6, in the Glee Club room or by calling 996-6769.

Pahokee Pride Day
I Love Pahokee and Pahokee Pride Day will be March 25. Groups and organizations are asked to pick a block in the city and clean up the area. Free collection bags, sodas and cash prizes are being offered. There will be three deposit locations and free tire pickup for citizens. For more information, call the Pahokee Chamber of Commerce at 924-5579.

Winter Camp meeting
The South Florida Winter Camp meeting and Holy Spirit Outpouring will be March 19-26 at Miracle Temple Church. Preaching will be by Steve Smith and gospel music will be provided by various singers. The event will begin at 7 p.m. nightly and on Sundays at 10 a.m. and 5 p.m. For more information, call Pastor Alvin E. Nichols at 996-7653.

Church to sponsor trip
Mt. Zion A.M.E. Church is sponsoring a trip to the Dade County Youth Fair in Miami on Saturday, March 18. The cost is \$25 per person and the deadline for reserving seats is March 10. For more information, contact Sharon Singleton, 996-7510, or Jackie Radcliffe, 996-6449.

Booths for Afro Arts
Members of the Iota Omicron Chapter of Zeta Phi Beta Sorority Inc., will celebrate their 15th Annual Glades Festival of Afro Arts on March 18, from 10 a.m. until 6 p.m., at Lake Shore Park. Booths for profit and non-profit are available. Interested persons should contact Mary Evans, 996-1574.



Career Week... Gene Atkins of the Miami Dolphins was at Cove Elementary School Monday to speak with the fourth and fifth grade students about reaching their goals. The professional football athlete said he has achieved success because he learned to isolate himself from negative situations. Fourth-grader Marcus Charles was able to try on Mr. Atkins' football helmet. For story, see page 8. SUNPHOTO by Tammy Jackson

Residents asked to be alert for banking scam

By Brenda Bunting
Editor

Some crooks are trying the old "Bank Examiner" scam again in the Glades and police are asking residents to be on the lookout.

On Monday, Feb. 27, the Belle Glade Police Department received several complaints from citizens who said a man identifying himself as a member of the department had called them and asked their help in conducting an investigation of possible thefts by

local bank tellers. The man asked the residents if they had been burglarized recently and if any checks were stolen during the burglary. He also tries to find out if the resident has made any recent bank transactions and the status of their bank account.

The caller then attempts to get the victim to assist in the investigation by withdrawing money from their bank account as bait for a suspected dishonest bank teller. He tells them the money will be re-deposited

into their account when the investigation is completed, however, the money is never re-deposited. Anyone receiving such a call is cautioned not to give any information. They should call the Belle Glade Police Department immediately.

The police department also encourages anyone who has fallen victim to a scheme such as this to contact the criminal investigations division of the Belle Glade Police Department at 996-7251, extension 37.

Three law enforcement officials honored

By Brenda Bunting
Editor

Three local law enforcement officials were honored at a banquet Sunday evening for their dedication to the communities in which they work.

Sgt. Wiley Battle with the Palm Beach County Sheriff's Department, Lt. Devon Edwards, Belle Glade Fire Department, and Lt. Danny D. Jones, Pahokee Police Department, were given plaques at a citizen's sponsored roast and dinner Feb. 26 at the Draw Bridge Cafe.

Officers are chosen by citizens in their community who vote for their choice through community activist Mattie Ray. She and others then total up the votes and those with the most votes are honored at a yearly ceremony. This is the second year the concerned citizens group has sponsored this event. Last year, Belle Glade Detective Lt. Albert Dowdell was honored.

Belle Glade's Police Chief Michael D. Miller led the list of guest speakers who praised the men for their dedication and sacrifice for their communities.

"When a young man or woman chooses a career in law enforcement, they serve in sacrifice. We really appreciate all the dedicated professionals that let you and I enjoy sleeping at night," he said.

Lt. Edwards joined the Belle Glade Fire Department in July 1985. In 1986 he became a

state certified medical technician and has been named Fire Fighter of the Year by the Belle Glade Chamber of Commerce.

"He has responded to thousands of calls from our citizens," said Fire Chief Tony Tuliano. "We are very proud to have him on our team," he added.

Sgt. Wiley J. Battle told the audience after receiving his plaque "I feel like I just got an academy award. When the award comes from the community you serve, it makes you really feel good."

Sgt. Battle has worked in law enforcement for 14 years. He and his wife, Melvye, have three children, all boys.

Pahokee City Commissioner Keith Babb said Sgt. Battle is a credit to his profession and said his friends have nicknamed him "Gung-ho Willie," for his enthusiasm and dedication to his job.

Lt. Harper with the sheriff's department said Sgt. Battle is a "good person to work with and he's a good role model for the community. I enjoy working with him," he said.

Lt. Danny Jones has worked in law enforcement for 13 years. He started with the South Bay Police Department and after two years moved to the Pahokee Police Department. In 1989 he was promoted to sergeant and in 1991 to lieutenant.

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Officers honored by community...Three local law enforcement officers were honored Sunday night at a banquet at the Draw Bridge Cafe. Honored, from left, are Lt. Danny Jones with the Pahokee Police Department, Lt. Devon Edwards with the Belle Glade Fire Department, and Sgt. Wiley Battle with the Palm Beach County Sheriff's Department. SUNPHOTO by Brenda Bunting

Community rallies to support college

County commission to discuss funding at March 21 workshop

By Brenda Bunting

Students and members of the community have rallied in support of Palm Beach Community College Glades Campus after hearing the school is threatened with state-mandated 25 percent funding cuts. This could mean the possible closure of the Glades Campus, as well as the Dolly Hand Cultural Arts Center.

Dr. Helen Franke, provost at PBCC's Glades Campus, said many letters have been sent to the county commission asking them to support community colleges by designating 1/4 mil of the current property taxes to be used for the

colleges. The board of directors for PBCC also voted Tuesday to ask the county commission to designate the 1/4 mil to offset outlays proposed by the Florida State Board of Community Colleges.

Chairman of the County Commission Ken Foster said a commission workshop has been scheduled for March 21 to meet with PBCC President Ed Elsey and other concerned members. "I'm extremely concerned," he said, "but some board members think it's premature to ask for 1/4 mil out of the budget."

"While facing-budget woes, state board officials voted in January to close all special purpose centers and other instructional sites, consider closing community colleges with less than 1,000 full-

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West Tech and CHOICE may become one school

Tammy Jackson
Staff Reporter

The thought of merging the School of CHOICE and West Technical Education Center became a topic recently when the Palm Beach County School Board began looking at a new site for the School of CHOICE. The school board said the school is in need of repairs to the roof, the building itself is old, and to build another school or to repair one of the already existing vacant schools is extremely costly.

Larry Zabick, Palm Beach County School Board assistant superintendent of support services, said CHOICE could be used as capital for West Tech because West Tech is not being used to its full potential.

School of CHOICE is an alternative school and according to Palm Beach County School Board Area 6 Superintendent Dr. John Boyle, alternative schools are always given the leftovers. He said these types of schools should be getting the best the system has to offer. He said the school needs a gym and athletic fields. If the two schools are combined, Dr. Boyle said the dollars needed to repair the roof at CHOICE can be used to build a gymnasium and athletic fields on land adjacent to West Tech.

Linda Leonard of the West Tech General Advisory Committee said the school board is contradicting themselves because a few years ago the land adjacent to West Tech was slated as the site for Glades Central High School and it was found the land was too close to Glades Correctional Institution. She said she had a prob-

lem with the proposal because what wasn't good for Glades Central students a few years ago is now good for CHOICE's students. "This is a wonderful site for the children of this community, yet the community would not allow their children to have the high school here," she said. "There is a great deal of contradiction." The site was also found to contain contaminants.

Dr. Boyle said the gym would also be available to the community when not used by the school.

If the schools are combined, there will be two combined budgets rather than one, and the school would be open during hours when it is now not serving students presently. Also, the school would possibly be opened six days a week. Dr. Boyle said this would allow the school to serve different clientele at different times. He said he felt the two schools could offer much better opportunities for the students by combining the two budgets.

If the schools are combined, Dr. Boyle said there will be two administrators. One will be a vocational administrator and one will be an academics administrator. Dr. Boyle said he wants the combining of the schools to transpire and he wants everyone to have a positive attitude toward the proposal. He said he would like to see the plan put into action in the fall but said everything must be in order prior to bringing students over from CHOICE.

Numerous other meetings will be held before these plans are finalized and presented to the school board for approval.

Florida Secretary of Labor to speak at B.O.S.S. banquet

"B.O.S.S. (Blacks On the Serious Side, Inc.), is hosting a banquet March 11, at the Lake Shore Middle School Gymnasium. The theme of the banquet is "Community - Common unity into the 21st Century."

Douglas Jamerson, the former Commissioner of Education and current Secretary of Labor for the State of Florida will be the guest speaker.

"B.O.S.S. is excited to have Mr. Jamerson as its speaker," said Executive Director Cynthia Laramore. His distinguished legislative career as a member of the Florida House of Representatives demonstrates his concern and knowledge of the Glades area," she

added. "Ms. Laramore noted that while chairman of the Housing Committee, Mr. Jamerson was instrumental and the driving force behind \$1 million for affordable farmworker, low-income housing in Belle Glade. "It is the desire of B.O.S.S. to create and work in an atmosphere of unity throughout the Glades area so that the community will survive," said Ms. Laramore.

"Many crimes confront the community and it will take everyone working together to create and maintain the Glades area as a sustainable community," she said. The banquet will begin at 7 p.m. Tickets are \$25 and can be purchased by calling 992-8544.

National Weather Service celebrates its 125th birthday

By Mike Lyons

Feb. 9, 1870 was a typically cold day in Washington, D.C. The temperature was well below freezing and spring seemed a long way off. The weather was the last thing on President Ulysses S. Grant's mind as he began his day. Still, the president did something that day that changed forever the way we look at weather.

On Feb. 9, 1870, President Grant signed a joint resolution of Congress authorizing the secretary of war to establish a national weather service. Later that year the first synchronous weather observations ever taken in the U.S. were made by members of the Army Signal Service. With a few strokes of his pen, President Grant created what today is the largest and best weather forecasting service in the world.

And, that service is getting better and better. Today, on the 125th birthday of the National Weather Service, thousands of

weather observations are made hourly and daily by government agencies, volunteers, ships at sea, airplanes and satellites.

"We've come a long way since those first weather observations," said Dr. Elbert Friday the Director of the National Weather Service. "Today, we are in the midst of a major program to modernize the National Weather Service with state of the art technology and about meteorology."

It wasn't exactly state of the art back in the 1870's. "We only had 22 places to watch the weather," Dr. Friday said. "And all of them were east of the Rockies." On top of that, men making the weather observations were hardly meteorologists. Most were sergeants in the Army just following orders.

From a forecasting standpoint it was like living in the stone age. "I would hesitate to call it forecasting," Dr. Friday said. "Basically, if it was raining at one station it was assumed it

would be raining downstream at the next station."

The weather service was part of the Department of War until 1890 when President Benjamin Harrison asked that it be taken over by civilians in the Department of Agriculture. For the next 50 years, the Weather Bureau as it was now called, went about the business of watching and learning about our weather.

It was during this period that the Weather Bureau began using more sophisticated methods to obtain weather information. For example, to learn more about the weather in the upper atmosphere, thermometers and barometers were attached to kites and airplanes. In 1940, President Franklin Roosevelt transferred the Weather Bureau to the Department of Commerce where it remains today. After WW II, the Army gave the weather department 25 surplus radars which launched the network of weather radars still in use today.

The Weather Bureau changed its name in 1870 to the National Weather Service and became a component of the Commerce Department's newly-created National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration.

"Today we are at the brink of a meteorological revolution," Dr. Friday said. "Advances in satellites, radars, sophisticated information processing and communication systems are part of the new weather service." Advances that will result in better forecasts and more timely and precise severe weather warnings.

You've come a long way, baby. Happy 125th birthday!

Mike Lyons is the weatherman for WPBF, Channel 25.



Common Bond will be in concert Sunday, March 12th at the First Baptist Church in Belle Glade at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

"Common Bond" in concert at First Baptist Church

Common Bond will be in concert Sunday, Mar. 12 at the First Baptist Church in Belle Glade at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Mark, Luke and John Green, triplets from North Carolina, are just beginning their recording and music ministry career.

At age 5 they entered their first singing competition and from that point on, they knew singing would be their life.

Recently, the Green triplets left Palm Beach Atlantic College in West Palm Beach to go into full-time ministry. They

have just completed their first recording project called "The Journey." Their close harmonies and enthusiasm is something you don't want to miss!

The public is invited to attend.

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Most all of us have at one time in our lives or another had a bout of severe diarrhea. Our bodies feel totally without energy and very similar to a wet noodle. Can you imagine what severe diarrhea does to a little one with much less "constitution" than us? The results can be deadly!

These statistics from the Centers for Disease Control in Atlanta should make us stop

and think: Each year in the United States alone, over 200,000 children are hospitalized for acute diarrhea and dehydration. Over 400 of them die! Of course the statistics in third world and developing countries are even more alarming.

Contrary to popular belief, one or two loose stools does not constitute diarrhea. However, a newborn or young child with frequent loose, watery stools for one day can deplete their small reserve of life-sustaining electrolytes in their systems. These electrolytes can be quickly released from the body in urine, watery stools, sweat, etc. and their condition can then rapidly become life-threatening.

The CDC recommends oral rehydration therapy which is a low-tech treatment that involves replacing fluid losses with water and electrolytes (sodium, potassium, chloride

[salt], and carbon dioxide) in an oral rehydration solution. Pedialyte and RiceLyte are two of the commercial liquid brands available, but they are somewhat on the expensive side. They do rehydrate children but don't necessarily reduce the severity or duration of the diarrhea. One other affordable alternative that has it all is a rice cereal-based oral rehydration therapy.

This easy to make mixture of dry infant rice cereal, water, and salt has several advantages over the commercial products. Besides being cheaper, it improves the fluid and electrolyte absorption, decreases the stool volume and shortens the duration of diarrhea.

As soon as the child is rehydrated, regular feeding should be resumed. Remember, when an infant or young child is ill, don't try to "wait it out" it COULD be FATAL!! See your doctor as soon as possible.

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Belle Glade pursues legislation to establish Airport Authority

During its regular business session last Monday, the Belle Glade City Commission adopted a resolution requesting the Florida Department of Transportation (FDOT) to pursue legislation establishing an independent airport authority for the operation and maintenance of the municipal airport.

Commissioners say financial restraints have made it impossible for the city to have the economic ability to continue operating the airport. Although the city's lease with FDOT expired January 5, 1995, the city has continued to oversee the airport property

while it seeks alternatives for keeping the facility open.

In an effort to assist those agricultural enterprises who have a continuing need for the airport to remain operational, the city commission hopes to see Florida legislation for an independent Belle Glade Airport Authority during the 1995 session.

Also, Mayor J. Stephen Weeks issued proclamations recognizing March 5-11 as Save your Vision Week, and the month of March as American Red Cross Month. On behalf of the Palm Beach County Optometric Association,

Dr. Don Fliehs accepted the proclamation for Save Your Vision Week.

In other business, the commission approved the following:

- Authorization to proceed with street paving program.
- Award of bids for 3100 Greene Mower, F150 Ford Truck, and 455 John Deere Diesel Tractor Mower.
- Rezoning of 617 S.W. Avenue E from R-3 to R-2.
- Rezoning of 725 South Main Street from R-1 to B-1.
- Resolution supporting the continued inclusion of the U.S. Sugar Program in the 1995 Farm Bill.

Belle Glade Police Department's arrest blotter

The Belle Glade Police Department investigated 713 complaints the week of Feb. 20 through Feb. 26 and handled 15 crime scenes.

Arrests Feb. 20 through Feb. 26 included:

Feb. 20 - Cassandra Jackson, 25, aggravated domestic battery; Jerome Sallee, 34, contempt of court on charges of opposing and obstructing.
Feb. 21 - Valerie McCall, 26, failure to appear; Presnel Touloute, 19, grand theft auto.
Feb. 22 - Juvenile, 14, grand theft auto; Ramiro Lopez, 28, loitering and prowling; Ricky Davis, 29, domestic battery; Collins McDonald, 42, failure to appear on charges of possession of paraphernalia; Kerry Leon Evans, 22, attempted

murder, possession of a firearm by a convicted felon; Kathy Head, 28, possession of cocaine; Harold King, 43, domestic battery.

Feb. 23 - Juvenile, 16, domestic battery; juvenile, 17, strong arm robbery, petit theft; Timothy Simmons, 18, possession of marijuana under 20 grams; Ifran Rancey, 38, possession of cocaine, possession of cocaine with intent to sell.
Feb. 24 - Juvenile, 16, strong arm robbery, petit theft; Cynthia Nixon, 23, failure to appear on charges of domestic battery; Antonio Bannister, 20, grand theft auto; juvenile, 12, grand theft auto; Rodney Jerrigan, 35, violation of probation on charges of battery of a law enforcement officer; Glen Car-

lington, 31, aggravated battery; juvenile, 17, failure to comply.

Feb. 25 - Gloria Nixon, 37, aggravated domestic battery; Robert Nero, 54, domestic battery; juvenile, 15, grand theft auto; juvenile, 17, affray; juvenile, 15, affray; juvenile, 15, disorderly conduct.
Feb. 26 - John Frazier, 27, aggravated battery; Calvin Edmondson, 44, failure to appear on charges of aggravated assault; Artie Snead, 23, strong arm robbery, petit theft; Raffiel Bryant, 27, strong arm robbery, petit theft; juvenile, 16, burglary; juvenile, 17, burglary to an auto; Delano Brown, 18, failure to appear on charges of petit theft; Latina Hunter, 20, failure to appear



The play, "For Colored Girls Who Have Considered Suicide When the Rainbow is Enuf" will be at the Dolly Hand Cultural Arts Center on March 24. Shown, left to right, are participants in the play. They are: Leshay Wright, Beverly Mathis, Bhetty Waldron, executive director, Michelle Drye, Ketty Blaise, Patricia Bray, and Victoria Mangrum. For ticket information, call 992-6160.

on charges of disorderly conduct and petit theft.

Editor's note: The police news in this newspaper lists arrests, not convictions, unless otherwise stated. Arrested persons who later are found not guilty or have had the charges against them dropped are welcome to let us know. We will confirm the information and print it.

Pahokee Police arrest blotter Jan. 29- Feb. 4

Those arrested by the Pahokee Police Department the week of Feb. 19- Feb. 25:

Sunday, Feb. 19 - Antonio Mendoza, 40, Okeechobee, arrest on a warrant for failure to comply with a court order;

Monday, Feb. 20 - Lee Darville, 39, Okeechobee, warrant, contempt of court;

Tuesday, Feb. 21 - Lee Darville, 39, Okeechobee, warrant, contempt of court;

Wednesday, Feb. 22 - Lee Darville, 39, Okeechobee, warrant, contempt of court;

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In need of your prayers

A former long-time resident of Belle Glade needs your prayers.

Many of you know her as Blondie Parrish. She worked at Belle Glade City Hall for many, many years. She recently found out her husband of four-and-a-half years, Bob Rosinski, has cancer and is not expected to live very long.

Your prayers would be deeply appreciated.

If you want to send a card, call Betty Lewis at the courthouse for an address.

Unwanted calls

"We recently received another renewal letter from the Florida Department of Agriculture and Consumer Services. To keep our phone number off solicitation calls, for the service we must pay \$5. My question is, why, and how do we get our name off the other mailing lists and solicitation groups that harass us two or three times a week? If someone has found a solution to all solicitation calls, fund raisers, other undesired questions, I would like them to share the information. Thank you."



Letters to the editor

Dear Editor:

Miracle Temple would like to thank all those in the community who donated to our fish dinner making it a great success.

Sincerely,

Pastor Alvin E. Nichols

Dear Fellow citizens:

Violence in the home and our communities is a sad reality. One person is killed every 36 hours by family violence in Florida. Domestic violence has reached epidemic proportions in our state and country.

The First Report of the Governor's Task Force on Domestic Violence suggested 225 recommendations to address this serious problem.

Several of these recommendations involve expanding public awareness of this problem and encouraging solutions to

it. I know that there are many people all around Florida who are currently working to stop this epidemic of violence.

As part of my ongoing commitment to public awareness, and in recognition of those who are working in this area, I will recognize exceptional individuals or programs that help end violence in Florida's homes at the first annual "The 1995 Governor's Peace At Home Awards: Stopping Domestic Violence."

These awards will be given to five outstanding individuals, programs or organizations that have made a difference in helping prevent and stop the violence. The five categories for these awards will be in: services to children, survivor support, justice system programs, research, and one overall category.

Do you know a person, program, or organization that has

made a difference in stopping domestic violence in Florida through prevention, intervention, education or in other ways? If you do, I invite you to play a role in our recognition efforts by submitting a nomination form.

A nomination committee of distinguished citizens will submit to me a list of finalists in each category. I will then choose a recipient in each category and acknowledge their efforts at a ceremony in Tallahassee during April 1995.

Thank you for your time. For a nomination form, please feel free to contact Renee Starrett, The Governor's Task Force on Domestic Violence, Executive Office of the Governor, The Capitol, Tallahassee, Florida 32399-0001. (904-921-2168).

With kind regards, I am

Lawton Chiles

Guest Commentary



Congressman Mark Foley

By Congressman Mark Foley

"Paper or plastic?" For many folks in urban and suburban America, what kind of bag to get is about the toughest decision they have to make when it comes to buying their food at the neighborhood Publix or Winn-Dixie. Modern agriculture places at their fingertips the greatest variety of the safest, most abundant food, at the lowest cost in the history of mankind. From fruit and vegetables to frozen foods, Americans spend less than ten cents out of every dollar they earn to fill their grocery basket—less than any other country in the world.

But for our area's farmers and ranchers—the choices are not so simple. They make crucial decisions every day to stay competitive in a global marketplace. Unlike other business enterprises, they start off every year not knowing if they will harvest a crop or what price they will receive if they do. Any one of a number of factors beyond their control—severe weather, fickle markets and overzealous regulators—can lead to economic devastation.

Recognizing both the importance of a steady domestic food supply and the unique difficulties faced by America's farmers, the federal government has for many years offered a variety of commodity support programs to help farmers navigate these troubled waters. The programs provide an income safety net for Florida farmers, insure adequate food supplies at low prices for the American consumer and enhance international competitiveness.

We get all this for a modest investment by the federal government. Farm program spending hit a high of \$26 bil-

lion in the mid 1980's. Since that time, direct spending on agriculture has been cut steadily. This year, farm programs will consume about 6/10ths of one percent of the federal budget—about \$10 billion.

Still, when it comes time to cut spending in an urban-dominated Congress, agriculture is always a prime target. Hitting close to home, the federal sugar program is again under attack. But, as in the past, the scare tactics of the extreme environmentalists and other opponents are not based on fact.

For instance, the sugar program operates at no cost to the taxpayers. Abolishing the program, as some would suggest, would actually result in a loss of over \$30 million in receipts to the Treasury. Worse yet, it would destroy the hard-working communities surrounding Lake Okeechobee and jeopardize over 420,000 jobs in 42 states.

Certainly, reforms are needed—and they will be made. And when it comes to other farm programs there is little question that we need to reduce federal spending and eliminate the deficit. But just once, it would be nice for agriculture's critics to acknowledge that if all other federal programs had been cut like farm programs, the deficit would not be a problem.

Unfortunately, that has not been the case.

As Congress sits down this year to write the new farm bill, we again face severe budget pressures in Washington. No doubt, the farmers and ranchers of Belle Glade, Clewiston, South Bay and Pahokee will be asked to practice self-sacrifice.

But as a newly-elected member of Congress and a member of the House Agriculture Committee, I will demand that everyone share in the sacrifice. No more exceptions. No more free rides.

Along with the Chairman of the House Agriculture Committee, Pat Roberts, I have set four goals relative to agriculture.

First, farm programs should not be singled out for spending

cuts. All federal programs should be on the table and cuts to agriculture should be fair. Second, spending cuts should go to reduce the deficit, not be spent on other programs, as has been the case for the last ten years.

Third, in exchange for the spending cuts, Congress must deliver on promises to roll back the tidal wave of environmental mandates and burdensome regulations that do little to improve the environment but are a heavy burden on farmers and landowners.

Finally, if we are serious about making the transition into a true "market oriented" agriculture, as farmers desire, we must make sure that market orientation is reflected with a clear, aggressive export policy. That means holding other countries to their trade obligations and continuously pressing for greater market openness. Here in the United States, there has to be an end to market interference and using the farmer as a public utility on behalf of foreign policy, environmental objectives, and to control food costs.

Before Congress starts making policy decisions on issues affecting Florida farmers, though, I want to make sure they understand how challenging it has become to make a living as a grower. That's why I will be bringing a number of my colleagues on the House Agriculture Committee down to Belle Glade in April to hold a public hearing on agriculture issues important to our rural communities.

These lawmakers need to sit face to face with Florida farmers so that they can gain a better understanding of the potential impact of the policies that will be crafted later this year.

It is critical that we meet these challenges to continue the legacy of American agriculture so that our nation's families can continue to enjoy a healthy, abundant and inexpensive food supply.

Congressman Mark Foley is serving his first term in the U.S. House of Representatives. In Washington, he sits on the House Agriculture Committee.

Crimestoppers



Chiquita Green

Crime Stoppers of Palm Beach County, Inc. is asking for your help in locating Chiquita Green. She is wanted for failure to appear on charges of aggravated battery with a deadly weapon, (motor vehicle).

Green is 27 years old. Her last known address was 125 N.W. Sixth Street, Apartment 20, South Bay. She stands 5'8" and weighs 115 pounds.

She has black hair and

brown eyes. Her Social Security number is 265-81-5902. Her occupation is unknown. Her warrant was active as of Feb. 21, 1995.

If you know the whereabouts of Green or anyone involved in a serious crime, call Crime Stoppers, 1-800-458-8477. You do not have to give your name. You can remain anonymous and receive a cash reward if your tip leads to an arrest or recovery of stolen property.

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College

students and eliminate organized athletics and physical education programs.

Mario Diaz-Balart, chairman of the State Senate Ways and Means Committee, sent a letter to Clark Maxwell, executive director of the community college system in January requesting they develop and submit a plan by Jan. 20 that would reduce college budgets by 25 percent. He suggested the elimination of low priority programs, increasing efficiency in existing high priority programs, reducing in administrative size and cost of government and elimination of duplication of effort between the state and private sector.

The Glades Campus has enrollment of 759 full-time students for the Winter Term, according to Homer Hand, member of the PBCC Board of Directors. Florida has 128 community colleges. Some of the campuses affected would be Miami-Dade Community College, the Duncan Theater and the Eissey Theater. The total cost of programs and facilities to be cut is approximately 9 million dollars annually.

Mr. Hand said he is concerned with the budget cuts because he feels many local residents will not get a degree if the Glades Campus closes. "Financially, they'll be unable to do it," he said. He feels it would be devastating for the Glades if the campus and the Dolly Hand Center were to

close.

Dr. Franke said she doesn't foresee the state closing the local college because one of the goals of community colleges is to offer local education to communities which are more than 30 minutes away from other college facilities.

"Our college is more than 30 minutes away from any other college," she said "and most of our students don't have cars. That would mean taking public transportation," she said public transportation would entail a 2 1/2 trip each way, and she believes very few students would be able to endure this hardship.

The state has consistently reduced the resources that are provided to the community colleges to support essential services, according to Robert H. McCabe, president of Miami-Dade Community College.

"Over the history of the community college system, the income per student has been reduced from 50 percent more to 22 percent less than that provided for public schools, grades K through 12. In 1994-95, community colleges received just over half as much per lower division student as the state universities."

"The current level of funding for community colleges threatens their capacity to carry out their mission - Florida is, in effect, starving the most promising solution to the problem of reducing the number of

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dependent individuals by denying the colleges the resources they need to help these individuals gain the skills they need to be productively employed," said Mr. McCabe.

Palm Beach Community College President Ed Eissey said last week "It's a sad day when a state as wealthy as Florida doesn't fund higher education."

PBCC Community Relations Director Sheila Bertino said everything is on the possible chopping block with the funding cuts, but doesn't expect the cuts to go so far as to allowing the closing of the community colleges with less than 1,000 full-time students.

"We are going to have to find some very creative ways to find funding," she said, but added she felt the Dolly Hand Cultural Arts Center was also vital to the community.

The community college system has not seen an increase in funding since 1987. PBCC officials say any further reduction in funding will be catastrophic to the college, which they say is already in need of additional staff and equipment. Dr. Franke said the allocated funds, if given by the commission, will not be used for administrative costs or administrative salary increases.

Mr. Foster said the commission may have to go to the taxpayers and ask for a tax increase. "We haven't done that in five years," he said.



A winning team...Two members of the Glades Wrestling Team from Glades Central Community High School were big winners at the state competition held recently in Lakeland. Shown front row, from left are Ronnie Thompson, who took THIRD in the STATE competition, Dexter Brockman, Jerry Seymour, who took FIRST in the STATE and Trafor Bailey. Back row, from left are Coach Frank Lasagna, Joe Brown, Chris Young, Robert Newkirk and Andre Finkley. Coach Lasagna credits hard work and dedication as the keys to their success. Jerry Seymour, a junior at Glades Central, won in the 140 pound division. This is his second state title. Ronnie Thompson, also a junior at Glades Central, won in the 112 pound class division. CONGRATULATIONS, GUYS!

Rummage sale

The American Legion, Post 20, is having a rummage sale on Saturday, March 4. The sale will be at the American Legion Post, 101 S.E. Ave. D, Belle Glade, across from the Bank of Belle Glade, from 8 a.m. until

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Pastor celebrates third anniversary with gospel sing



Pastor Bill Dever will celebrate his third anniversary as

minister at the Pahokee Church of the Nazarene. Since coming to Pahokee, he said he feels a lot of improvements have been made, including increased church membership and giving to missions.

A gospel sing is scheduled for Friday, March 3, at 7:30 p.m., at the church. This sing is a regularly held event on the first Friday of each month. It is sponsored by the Woman's Auxiliary for their nursing home ministry and varies programs. A free-will offering will

be received to help them with their projects. Featured this month will be the Eads Family of West Palm Beach. It includes the father, mother, son and youngest daughter. Others will share the program also.

Following the sing, a time of

free refreshments will be served in the Holt Hall of the church's annex. For further information concerning this sing or for scheduling singers in the future, you may call Brenda Peacock at 924-7123, or Pastor Dever at 924-7998.

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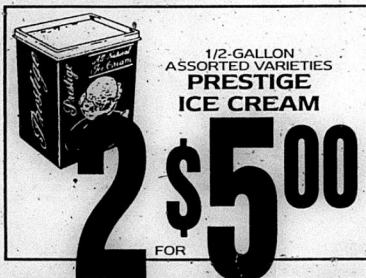
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Terrion Lowry
Kenton Poitier
Kiara Rawls
Shannon Smith
Shockey -
Moises Baltazar
Phillip Buchanan.
Terry Corley
De'Andre Davis
Shalonda Durham
Lisa Garcia
Cory Johnson
Roshana Marshall
Antonio Tamaya
Laporsche Tomlin
Ramey/Tracey -
Keanna Small
Perfect Attendance
Ryan -
Brittany Atkins
David Baltazar
Anthony Bowns
Shania Everett
Terrion Lowry
David Maldonado
Roan Nembhard
David Perez
Kenton Poitier
Erricka Roberts
Manuel Sequiera
Luke Sherrill
Adan Torbio
Solom Williams
Daniel Woodard
Samuela -
Elisa Baeza
Joseph Banfield
John Ford
Makia Henderson
Alisha Johnson
Freddie Smith
Jerkyslie Wallace
Shockey -
Deric Calvill
Shalonda Durham
Lisa Garcia
Bickie Herrera
Demetris Tate
First grade
Engel -
Paul McKinley
McKinley -
April Harrison
Honor Roll (20-32 points, no S's
and no I's in Fine Arts)
McKinley -
Antonietta Ellington
Alexia Greene
Arlene Rodriguez
Christine Smith
Nicole Reid
Shyra Custis
Parson -
Shanique Golpin
Jalessia Powell
Crystal Sterling
Honorable Mention (25-28
points, no S's and no I's in Fine
Arts)
Bloomingdale -
Michael Davis
April Golpin
Marcus Harwood
Irene Nava
Engel -
Leticia Ford -
Jose Gallardo
Pedro Garcia
Jakeshia Golmore
Chataivus Lamby
Courtney Laws
Leonel Panoce
Leovan Wilson
Parson -
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Joquetta Walker
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Takara Willis
Bloomingdale -
Terrion Corley
Jimmy Fowler
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Jalisa Steele
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Shansheka Washington
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Eddie Daniels
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Micchoria Jackson
Jamira Jones
Jalessia Powell
Jamario Rawls
Kentarius Walker
Cordeiro Mauney
Serafin Maldonado
Second grade
(All A's in Fine Arts)
Waldron -
Altavious Pringle
Honor Roll (29-32 points, no S's
and no I's in Fine Arts)
Cochick -
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Rashunda Washington
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Rekasha King
Everest Harvey
Tequesta Cowan
Everest Harvey
Pringle -
Kennard Jackson
Mia Scurry
Jamirael Wilson
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Norma Baltazar
Sharika Reeves
Rashunda Washington
Pringle -
Jomisha Baker
Daniel Carroll
Gwynn Brown
Kennard Jackson
Robert Johnson
Joshua Jones
Carlos Robinson
Bethel Sherrill
Third grade
(All E's, no S's and no I's in Fine
Arts)
Salvador Fonseca
Maria Montoya
Christopher Robertson
Maria Garcia
Spencer -
Natascha Lunford
Honor Roll (29-32 points, no S's
and no I's in Fine Arts)
Brown -
Inez Baltazar
Johnson -
Isabel Contreras
Oliver -
Lucia Garcia
Andrea Swaby
Spencer -
Tamara Dowdell
Honorable Mention (25-28
points, no S's and no I's in Fine
Arts)

Brown -
Erald Ebanks
Johnson -
Mariela Aquilera
Hidelita Dominguez
Talakia McKay
Estaban Torbio
Spencer -
Andrea Swaby
Perfect Attendance
Brown -
Tabatha Freeman
Ashley Greene
Alejandra Rivera
Mijail Sequeira
Mary Thomas
Daniel Warren
Al-Jaroudi -
Curtis Davis
Curtis Jackson
Tyron Alexander
Iven Jenkins
Anthony Smith
Antonio Wilson
Johnson -
Joanna Baptiste
Natascha Beckles
Isabel Contreras
Hidelita Dominguez
Willie Jones
Charlie Lamby
Tracy Lawler
Evette Montoya
Jatarrick Murvin
Estaban Torbio
Clarissa Wallace
Oliver -
Sintiquia Cisneros
Licia Garcia
Tyron Graddick
Andrea Swaby
Ricky Williams
Dan Woodson
Carlos Flores
Maria Garza
Fourth grade
(All E's, no C's and no I's in Fine
Arts)
Hinkle -
Dalliah Contreras
Simonsin -
Nathaniel Allen
Josvaki Arnold
Ivette Baltazar
Zabian Dowdell
Rauland Maxie
Diana Medina
Travis Nottingham
Honor Roll (29-32 points, no C's
and no I's in Fine Arts)

Harlow -
Shamara Young
Hinkle -
Albert Bouie
Greg James
Letari Lewis
Simonsin -
Dana Angm
Danielle Harrison
Amanee Kahok
Veronica Lee
Harlow -
Te'Leila Wilson
Hinkle -
Terrell Henry
Antarius Jackson
Simonsin -
Freddie Greene
Locrystal Greenwich
Harlow -
Joseph Baker
Latoria Kelly
Nathaniel Lewis
David Stewart
Hinkle -
Patricia Baltazar
Nadisha Barrett
Kenisha Brockman
Jocelyn Brown
Shawnye Graham
Terrell Henry
Jose Montoya
Dominique Pearson
Telario Pringle
Simonsin -
Nathaniel Allen
Josvaki Arnold
Ivette Baltazar
Alexia Barnes
Shameka Byrd
Zabian Dowdell
Anthony Frost
Freddie Greene
Danielle Harrison
Natilda Jenkins
Diana Medina
Fifth grade
(All A's and all 3's)
Dennard -
Shaneka Lunford
Aquadana Wilson
Honor Roll (29-32 points, no C's
and no I's in Fine Arts)
Dennard -
Anteria Burgess
Richard Powell
Jonathan allace
Larry Warren
Dequandra Wilson
Rhodes -

Rashanda Warren
Williams -
Lexaun Curtis
Robert Lee
Shaguna Morris
Christina Paniqua
Honorable Mention (23-28
points; no C's and no I's in Fine
Arts)
Dennard -
Maria Torbio
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Kryelle Wilson
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Carline Celestin
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Jammy Washington
Perry - Shawneria Huffman
Marion Moreland
Edward Scarlett
Rufus Hill
Jefferet McKinney
Third grade
Honor Roll (29-32 points; no C's
and no I's in Fine Arts)
Davis -
Evelyn Barr
Shaheed Foster
Akilah Hammond

Stacy Pearson
Leckie -
Jamecia Taylor
Honorable Mention
(25-28 points; no C's and no I's
in Fine Arts)
Davis - Yolanda Elliston
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Obituaries

Johnson

Tommie Johnson died recently. Born Nov. 2, 1907 in Vienna, Ga. Mr. Johnson moved to Florida in the 1940s.

He is survived by his sons: Monroe Johnson (Donna Jean); and Harold Johnson (Catherine); 11 grandchildren: Linda Grant, Janice Cribbs, Patricia, Robert Brand and Barbara, Michael Byrnes, James, Cheryl, Gerald and Chantel; and Andre McKinnon; niece, Dorothy Davis, and her children: Tommy Prather, Willie Fronk and Dora McGhee; 16 great-grandchildren; three great-great-nieces; 10 great-great-nephews; one great-great-nephew; and many other relatives and friends. He was preceded in death by his daughter, Gladys Watson.

Services were held Thursday, Feb. 16, 1995, at Mt. Calvary Baptist Church. Rev. Leon Camel Jr. officiated. Interment was held at Westview Cemetery, Cordele, Ga.

Arrangements were under

the direction of Taylor-Smith-West Funeral Home.

Cook

Willie Cook Jr. died Feb. 3, 1995 at Everglades Regional Medical Center. Born March 12, 1924, Mr. Cook moved to Pahokee at an early age.

He is survived by his wife, Dora; two daughters: Jackie and Diane; two sisters: Leola and Marie; (Jasper) Cromatier; aunt, Gladys Bryant; and many other relatives and friends.

Services were held Monday, Feb. 13, 1995, at the Taylor Smith West Funeral Home Chapel. Interment was held at Port Mayaca Cemetery.

Arrangements were under the direction of Taylor-Smith-West Funeral Home.

Wilson

Aston S. Wilson died recently. Born June 11, 1935, Mr. Wilson graduated from high school in Jamaica. He migrated to Okeelanta Sugar Company from May 30, 1980 until

February 1995.

He is survived by his mother, Gladys Wilson; wife, Patricia Boswell; brothers: Wilston, Roy and Roy; sisters: Margaret Williams and Gloria Wilson; 10 children; three step-daughters; and many other relatives and friends.

Services were held Saturday, Feb. 18, 1995, at Wesleyan Community Holiness Church. Rev. Clifford Davis officiated. Interment was held at Foreverglades Mausoleum Gardens.

Arrangements were under the direction of Miller Mortuary.

Johnson

Lee Early Johnson died Feb. 11, 1995 at King Daniel Rehab Center, West Palm Beach. Born Aug. 19, 1932, Mr. Johnson moved to Florida in the 1950s. He had worked as a foreman at U.S. Sugar. Bryant. He was a member of Bethel Missionary Baptist Church, Pahokee.

He is survived by his wife, Clara Betts; daughter, Novice Williams; step-daughters: Catherine Tate, Cora Hall Lemmonis, and Ann Lewis; step-sons: William Hall, Linsay Hall, David Betts, Edward Hall and James Hall; and many other relatives and friends.

Services were held Saturday, Feb. 18, 1995, at Shiloh Missionary Baptist Church. Rev. E. Wright officiated. Interment was held at

Port Mayaca Cemetery.

Arrangements were under the direction of Miller Mortuary.

Lindsay

Ella Lindsay died Feb. 14, 1995.

She is survived by her husband, Joseph David Lindsay; children: Archie L. Lindsay, Mildred Lindsay, Bernice Patrick, Willie C. Lindsay, Carolyn Massaline Thomas, Anthony Lindsay, Deborah Lindsay Belcher; sister, Vivian Wright; brothers: David Frazier and Fred Frazier; 13 grandchildren; 10 great-grandchildren; and many other relatives and friends. Services were held Saturday, Feb. 18, 1995, at Mt. Calvary Baptist Church. Interment was held at Port Mayaca Cemetery.

Arrangements were under the direction of Miller Mortuary.

Summerrall

Jerry Lee Summerrall died Feb. 15, 1995 at Hospice, West Palm Beach. Born Aug. 8, 1950 in Mississippi, Mr. Summerrall relocated to this area in 1972. He worked for A. Duda & Son for several years, and he also worked for Okeelanta Sugar Mill for 16 years.

He is survived by his wife, Meria Summerrall, son, Odvil; daughters: Erica and Jessica; brothers: David, Jimmie, Tracey and Glenn; Richard, and Glenn Curtis; sisters: Glyn Escier Williams, Teresa Williams, Dorothy Jones, Lisa

Summerrall, Sandra Suggs, Betty Gilliste, Geradine Wright; mother-in-law, Annie Frazier; father-in-law, Solomon Frazier Sr.; nine sisters-in-law; one brother-in-law; three uncles; and many other relatives and friends.

Services were held Saturday, Feb. 25, 1995, at Miracle By Faith Revival Center. Bishop Barry Humphrey officiated. Interment was held at Foreverglades Mausoleum Gardens.

Arrangements were under the direction of Miller Mortuary.

Williams

Buster Williams died Feb. 20, 1995. Mr. Williams was born Nov. 5, 1925 in Tallahassee.

He is survived by his daughters: Katie M. Dixon, Jo Carolyn Yulston, Yonne Biye and Christine Wilson; four brothers: James Wilson (Sylvia), Ivan Williams, Elgin Carr, J. C. Johnson; sister, Georgia M. Sherman; aunt, Ella Williams; 10 grandchildren; devoted cousins: Briney Mae Lane and Minnie T. Lane; and many other relatives and friends.

Services were held

Saturday, Feb. 25, 1995, at St. Matthews Baptist Church, LaBelle. Interment was held at Fort De Noe Cemetery.

Arrangements were under the direction of Miller Mortuary.

Melcher

Ernesto Melcher, 77, of Pahokee, died Friday, Feb. 24, 1995, at Columbia Hospital, West Palm Beach. A native of Chile, Mr. Melcher made his home in Pahokee since moving from New Jersey in 1976. Prior to his retirement, he was employed with Ocoee Farms as a tire repairman. He was of the Catholic faith.

He is survived by his nephew, Julio Alemam, of Loxahatchee.

Graveside services were held Monday, Feb. 27, 1995, at Our Lady Queen of Peace Catholic Cemetery, Royal Palm Beach.

Arrangements were under the direction of The James A. Bennett Funeral Home.

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Church to begin Lenten series

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This season of Lent begins with Ash Wednesday, March 1, and ends Saturday, April 14, the day before Easter. Lent is a time of preparation for Easter. It is a time to strengthen our faith commitment to God.

The public is invited to the



Rev. Rod Ruby

Canal Point United Methodist Church Maxson Fellowship Hall to attend the service.

Remembrances

If you would like to share the memory of a friend or loved one whose obituary has appeared in the *The Sun* newspaper, within the last two weeks, please send us your piece for possible publication in the Remembrance column that appears on this page.

Mail your special story about this person to Tammy Jackson, Staff Reporter, P.O. Box 2225, Belle Glade, FL 33430.

A Remembrance article should give the community a glimpse of the person's life and through a particular anecdote or memory, share the qualities that made that person special.

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Sunday School: 10:00 A.M.
Bible Study: 10:00 A.M.
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Amber Fulenwider receives \$16,000 scholarship from Wedgworth family



Amber Fulenwider and Ruth Wedgworth

Amber Fulenwider, a senior at Glades Day School, has been awarded a \$16,000 college scholarship by the Wedgworth family in Belle Glade.

Titled "The Ruth S. Wedgworth Scholarship for Academic

Excellence," the scholarship reads "presented to Amber Fulenwider in recognition of outstanding academic achievement, contributions to the community, and exceptional character and citizenship."

The award was presented by

Ruth S. Wedgworth and Wedgworth Farms, Inc. at a ceremony Feb. 22. The money to assist in the college education for Amber will be distributed by Glades Day School.

Glades Day School Board of Trustees member Tom Altman, said "Amber is a tremendous young lady, well-deserving of this."

He said two years ago, when Glades Day School and Christian Day School merged, the two boards looked for anything that might adversely affect the students. They recognized that one source of scholarship funding, U.S. Sugar Corporation, usually gave the graduating valedictorian a \$16,000 scholarship.

With the schools combined, it was noted that only one senior would be eligible for this award, and that the award would have to be split between two students.

"Amber was on track to be valedictorian at Christian Day School,"

said Mr. Altman. She would have therefore been eligible for the scholarship, had the two schools remained separate. The Wedgworth family made this generous contribution to offset the possibility of Amber not receiving a grant.

Amber had attended Christian Day School for six years before attending Glades Day. She maintains a 4.0 grade point average at Glades Day while also participating in extra-curricular activities such as the National Honor Society, Fellowship of Christian Athletes, and class treasurer. She played varsity volleyball at Christian Day School for two years and at Glades Day one year. In addition to attending school, she works part-time at Smith Barney in Belle Glade.

"It was a relief to win this scholarship," said Amber. "I wasn't sure if I was going to get a scholarship or not."

Amber credits hard work as the secret of her success in academics. "I just always try to do my best," she said.

She plans to attend either the University of Florida or the

University of Central Florida upon graduation this year. She is thinking about majoring in accounting. She is the daughter of Jack and Kathy Fulenwider of Belle Glade.

Closure order lifted for large area in Everglades

The closure restricting access to the Everglades because of the stress to the deer herd has been partially lifted as water levels recede.

The following areas were opened at 12:01 a.m. Sunday, Feb. 19: The Holy Land Wildlife Management Area, and the Rotenberg Wildlife Management Area, both in southern Palm Beach County; and Water Conservation Area 3A North, in the Everglades Wildlife Management Area in Broward County.

More than 700,000 acres of the Everglades were closed to public access on Sept. 29, 1994, said Laura Richards, Everglades Regional Biologist with the Florida Game and Fresh Water Fish Commission. After 90 days the closure order was extended indefinitely.

The closure was in response to the highest water levels recorded in three decades for the Everglades. Whitetailed deer were restricted to tree islands where they quickly exhausted the available forage, and fell victim to stress, starvation and disease.

GFC personnel surveying the area counted more than 150 dead deer. Ms. Richards said that a substantial portion of the deer herd north of Alligator Alley (I-75) has died due to the high water.

"The herd won't recover from the high water for several years," she said.

Water Conservation Area 3A South, Water Conservation Area 2A north for the east west trail, Water Conservation Area 3B, and Water Conservation Area 2B will remain closed until further notice, according to Ms. Richards.

Conditions have improved significantly in WCA 3A North as the water levels have dropped, she said. Deer and other upland animals are no longer restricted to levees and tree islands in the area. However, water levels in those areas remain several feet above the average for this time of year," she added.

Sportsmen can still run their boats in the deep water canals in the closed areas. Fishermen will also be glad to hear that the popular ramp at the Holiday Park Fish Camp has now been re-opened.

Pahokee church celebrates 50 years of ministry

Good Shepherd Church of God in Pahokee will celebrate its 50th anniversary on Sunday, March 5.

Following a tent revival on East Main St. near the present location of Foodland, the Church was established with 18 charter members and the Rev. J.M. Gresham as pastor. Within a few months, the groups of pentecostal believers purchased property located at the corner of Barfield Highway and First St. and erected a church building. Soon, the growing congregation added Sunday School rooms, completing the edifice as it stood until 1974.

In 1974, Pastor James Brewer led the congregation in adding an educational wing and remodeling the existing building. In 1980, under the leadership of Pastor Ray Simmons, the congregation purchased property on Bacon Point Rd. just outside the city limits and then exchanged the parcel for a more desirable one near town. After Pastor

Brewer returned in 1982, the Barfield Hwy. property was sold, and the congregation worshiped in a mobile chapel until moving into the educational portion of their new church in June 1986. In 1990, on Mother's Day, the church members dedicated the brick building on Bacon Point Rd.

In its 50-year history, the church has had 18 pastors, 13 of which served in the first two decades, and has grown to a membership of approximately 170. Pastor James H. Brewer has served the congregation for almost 17 years.

Although none of the founding members are still members of the local congregation, the Thomas L. Miller family, one of the pioneer families, presently has four generations attending the church. Deborah and Britanni Boswell, the daughter and granddaughter of charter member Lewis Hodges, also attend the church.

The church's motto is "A Caring Church For A Hurting World", and it seeks to reach out to persons who are suffering from pain.

Pastor James Brewer invites the public to attend the Golden Jubilee festivities beginning with morning worship at 10:45 a.m., continuing with a fellowship meal at 12:30 p.m., and concluding with a gospel concert at 2 p.m.

Addressing the congregation during the morning worship service will be Rev. Larry Timmerman, state overseer of the Churches of God in Florida. The afternoon concert will feature local talent interspersed with reminiscent vignettes highlighting the five decades of the church's existence.

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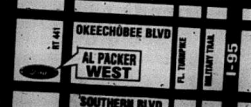
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